ATTACK FAILED COMPLETELY

German Infantry Made Effort to Advance West of Fort Vaux

ARE BOMBARDING TOWARD NEW FORTS

Heavy Artillery Is Turned National Ministry is Said to Be Favored on Souville and Tacamies Forts

Paris, June 12.-German infantry at Vaux on the Verdun front last night, of the ministry of the interior. The assault failed entirely, to-day's official report says. The Germans continued West of the Meuse there was heavy artillery action in the vicinity of Chattan- and the present military ministers.

was as follows:

"On the front north of Verdun no inwhich bombarded particularly in the region south of the Thiaumont farm and west of Fort Vaux.

The day was calm on the rest of the front except in Campagne where the artillery action took on a character of great intensity in the sector of Tahur-

Situation from June 4 to June 10of five kilometers from Thiaumont farm to the village of Damloup inclusive was continued with extreme violence during the whole week from the 4th to the More than six divisions of Germans were engaged, two of which were newly brought up one from the Balkans, the other from the western front.

day of June 4 the enemy sought to flank Fort Vaux by the south. He was stopped by our trenches south of the fort and was driven back on two occasions by counter-attacks on the battery at Damloup where he had succeeded in penetrating. He entered also the village of Damloup which he held at the end. skirts of Fumin wood.

the other northeast of Fort Vaux. "On June 7 a violent offensive against

our trenches at the approaches to Fort Vaux failed. The same day the fort itself in which desperate fighting had been Before Montpelier High School's Graducarried on from June 2 fell into the hands of the enemy.

"On June 8 the enemy renewed his assaults throughout the day from north Thiaumont farm to the Vaux ravine Hillegas, state commissioner-elect of edand succeeded in occuping several of our trenches in the neighborhood of the farm

and near the Caillette wood. "On the left bank of the Meuse attacks on Hill 304 were repulsed on June 4, on the nights of June 8 and 9 and especially on the day of the 9th, of which the enemy made several at-

MEXICO CITY THREATENED.

Zapata with Well-Equipped Force is Only 35 Miles Away.

New York, June 12 .- Zapata, the Mexican factional leader, is encamped with toward paying the rent of the average a large body of well-equipped men with- family. in 30 miles of Mexico City, and an attack is expected any time, according to of this burden of expense are the par-Howard Francis, an engineer recently ents, but others furnish a material asconnected with the Mexico City Tram- sistance. These others may be bankers, way company, who arrived to-day. described the business conditions in Mex- persons, who can spare the money in ico as chaotic.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Henry McKay of Marsonneuve, Canada, has arrived in the city and will spend a few days on business.

days as guest of friends in the city. Mrs. Lloyd Macneil of Maple Grove

Miss Angelina Tierney of South Main failure is a direct loss to every other perstreet went this morning to Hartford, Conn., where she will spend two weeks with friends and relatives.

city schools, left this morning for her

Walter Milne completed his duties at vidual indulges. the Montpelier & Wells River R. R. freight depot Saturday night and will begin work for the firm of Adie & Milne

this week Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Parks and daughter, Eileen, went this morning by automobile to Boston, Mass., where they will spend a few days with relatives and

Mrs. D. C. Jarvis of Orange street re turned to Barre yesterday after spending a couple of weeks visiting relatives in Roelington, Mrs. Jarvis was accompanied home by Dr. D. C. Jarvis' brother, D. M. Jarvis, who returned last evening to his

me in Burlington. Inst Saturday evening Miss Bertens search for him. Hooker gave Miss Elizabeth Skinner a miscellaneous shower at her home on Prospect street in honor of her approaching marriage to C. Harold Perry The affair was given in the form of a surprise party. Miss Skinner of N. A., will in be held in Miles' hall on being entirely unaware of the fact that Wednesday evening, June 14, at 7:30 they were to meet her then. C. A. 6'clock. Nomination of officers and elec-Speare took the presents in one large tion of delegate to the state convention. box to her home and left it as a special A good attendance is desired. P. J. Fin-Dainty refreshments of ice nigan, Sec. eream and cake were served, after which the party of about thirty in number

broke up at a rather late hour having

spent a very enjoyable evening.

POSSIBLY A TORPEDO SANK NORWAY SHIP

The Steamer Burr's Survivors Have Been Taken to Port at Ymuiden, Netherlands-Swedish Steamer Also Sunk.

Ymuiden, Netherlands, via London, June 12 .- Fifteen members of the crew of the Norwegian steamer Burr have landed here. Their ship was sunk either by a mine or torpedo.

London, June 12.—The Swedish steam er Emmy has been destroyed by a mine off Falster, according to a Reuter dispatch from Malmo, Sweden. The dispatch says one of the crew was killed by the explosion and four others were drowned

SALANDRA CABINET OUT.

London, June 12 .- The Italian cabinet.

headed by Premier Salandra, resigned yesterday. This action of the ministry esulted from the failure of the Italian chamber of deputies Saturday to pass a vote of confidence in the government tacked French positions west of Fort following the presentation of the budget

A Rome dispatch received here vesterday by wireless telegraphy said the min isterial crisis would soon be ended. a heavy bombardment of the region political parties, it was contended, fanorth of Souville and Tacannes forts, vored a national party containing Baron Sonnino, the minister of foreign affairs,

Rome, via Paris, June 12.-All parties The official statement issued last night agree that the new Italian cabinet must ave a national character. It is suggested that it comprise all the leading statesfantry action was reported during the men with a view to uniting in the sucourse of the day. Our artillery actively preme struggle all political opinions excounter-shelled the German batteries cept that of the intransigeant Socialists, about 40 of whom oppose the war as a principle. From all sides a rapid solution of the crisis is urged owing to the gravity of the moment. King Victor Emmanuel besides consulting Antonio Salandra, the resigning premier, will seek the views of Baron Sonnino, the foreign minister, the presidents of the Senate and the chamber of deputies and the The action commenced June 1 on a front wearers of the collar of the Order of Annunziata, including ex-Premier Giolitti and Luzzatti.

NEGOTIATIONS CAME TO A SUDDEN HALT

"In the night of June 3-4 and the When The Railroads Submitted Counter Proposition to Their 350,000 Employes Who Want Increased

New York, June 12 - The conference roads and their 350,000 employes, called Several attacks were stopped by our fire to avert the threatened strike, came to throwers north of Fort Vaux on the eastern out- a sudden halt shortly after resuming its session to day when the railroads sub-

HILLEGAS WAS SPEAKER.

ating Class.

Montpelier high school's graduating class was addressed last evening in the town and the fort and are on the enemy's high school auditorium by Dr. Milo B. ucation, the speaker having as his subject, "Making the Most of Life." talk was substituted for the usual class sermon.

Dr. Hillegas called attention to the direct financial expense involved in the they became wage earners. Even the quantity of arms. tempts with the employment of bomb most conservating estimate of this exfar than the average family savings in purchase a high class automobile, or motors. make a substantial first payment upon a home or a farm. Even the interest on this investment would go a long way

The people who bear the greater part He merchants and successful professional volved without privation, but by far the greater number of those who contribute to this investment are bent with toil and enjoy very few of the luxuries of life. In other words, the high school

graduate finds himself indebted to every person in the community. Each person who is thus backed is ex-Miss Violet Grant has returned to pected to make a return upon the invest-Hartford, Conn., after spending a few ment. No one expects to be paid in kind, but such is the intimate relationship that exists between the individual went Saturday to Brattleboro, where she and the community in which he lives will visit her people for a few weeks. that his true success is a benefit and his

The speaker mentioned three particulars in which persons who made the most Miss Gertrude Brady, a teacher in the of life are required to judge relative values. The first was in the use of time; home in Fairfield, where she will spend the second was the control of conduct a greater part of her vacation with her and the third was in the kind of recreation and enjoyments in which the indi-

KILLED BY SHOT.

Lawrence Man Was Slain During Quarrel in Boardinghouse.

Lawrence, Mass., June 12,-Kost Bodarouk, a mill worker, was killed yes- heavy losses, abandoning in front of our terday when a revolver was discharged trenches hundreds of dead. In the direc during a boardinghouse quarrel. police, on information of Mrs. Mary line enemy trenches. In the direction of Goralik, who conducted the house, are Dirberkr, we are advancing and have seeking a young boarder, who was made prisoners and captured boxes of present and disappeared after the ammunition." Lowell. Wakefield, Reading and Haverhill officials were asked to

GRANITEVILLE.

Meeting of branch No. 12, Q. W. J. U.

CZERNOWITZ MAY SOON FALL

Russian Troops Reach Outskirts of Bukowina Capital

OFFICIAL STATEMENT BY WAR OFFICE

Communication Last Night Tells of Great Amount of Booty Taken

Petrograd, June 12.-Russian troops esterday approached the outskirts of zernowitz, the war office announced to- called on, and Lane, Watt and Shepard

The official communication issued last night told of tremendous booty taken in the rapid advance. It reads as follows: "Our offensive in Volhynia, Galicia and Bukowina obtained fresh success yester-

day. The enemy armies continue to suffer enormous losses in prisoners alone.
"The fierce attacks of our troops are throwing into our hands thousands upon thousands of prisoners and booty of all kinds, the exact estimation of which is

as yet impossible.
"For instance, in a single sector on the enemy front, we captured 21 searchlights, 2 convoys, 29 field kitchens, 47 trains of machine guns, 12,000 poods of barbed wire (a pood is equivalent to 36 pounds) 1,000 concentre planks, 7,000,000 cubes of concrete, 10,000 poods of coal, enormous depots of ammunition and quantities of

water.

"The capture of such enormous war materials prepared by the enemy for vaious operations affords proof of how opportune was our coup against the en-

35,100 soldiers; we also captured 30 guns, 13 machine guns and 5 bomb throwers. This makes the total trophies in the recent operations, 1 general, 1,649 officers,

"Near Rojitche, on the Styr near Lutsk the Germans attempted to render assist On the 5th day of June we repulsed mitted a counter-proposition to the men's ance to the Austrians, but by our infan two debouching attacks, one at Damloup, demands for increased wages. try attack delivered under cover of heavy artillery they were dislodged from the town, losing over 2,000 prisoners, two ns. Our troop pursued the retreating Germans.

the Volhynian triangle) captured the ing the Ikwa river have developed their offensive. A part of the Russians occu- Harley D. Stevens, A. H. Burke, A. J. pied the region of the village of Damy dovka, on the Mylnoff point of support forcing the enemy to surrender. Besides dislodging the enemy from his position north of Boutchatchie, we made many support and education of youth until prisoners there and also took a great

"We overthrew the enemy on pense would make it a sum larger by chatchie, one of our regiments captured a this country, he said. The amount would complete battery of four ten-centimeter

"Despite the enemy's desperate resistance, his violent flank and curtain fire, Gen. Techitskyn's troops captured an enemy position south of Dobronovtze, 20 versts northeast of Czernowitz (Buko-Brunelle of Randelph, Mr. and Mrs. Wil wina). In this region alone we took as prisoners one general, 347 officers and 18,000 men, and captured ten guns and at the time this report is dispatched prisoners are still coming in. "Southeast of Zale Szozyky, by an en-

ergetic coup we overthrew the enemy who retreated. The enemy blew up the Yourkoutz railway station. Turkoman cavalry charged the retreating cavalry and turned his rear into a disorderly

"In attempts to save the situation, the enemy at many places made furious counter-attacks. Among others at dawn Saturday in the region of Semki, east of Kolki, numerically superior forces attacked our advanced elements and under cover of a concentration of their fire forced them back over the Styr. the same day we arrested all ulterior

developments of this offense. "The enemy is resisting with special desperation in the region of Trogovitay in the Styr, south of Lutzk, where he is fighting with sanguinary fury.

'The total results of the violent attacks of our troops carried out from the 4th to the 10th without giving the enemy a moment's respite, place in strong relief the fact that they have forced the enemy's organized lines on the vast front from the wooded region of southwest Russia to the Rumanian frontier.

"Caucasus region-The Turks made re- A. E. Tassier. peated attacks on our positions in the Platana region, but were repulsed with The tion of Gumessan, we have occupied first-

CLAIM RUSSIAN REPULSE

Berlin, via London, June 12.-Russian troops attempted to advance northeast of Buczacz, Galicia, and were repulsed, the war office announced to-day, and over 1,300 Russians were diptured.

of Technology.

BOY SCOUTS ENTERTAINED. Splendid Time for Troop 2 Held Saturday Troop 2 of the Boy Scouts of America

got together in the vestry of the Congregational church Saturday evening for a farewell banquet for the season, and everyone present voted it the best time they had had during the year, which i saying a good deal, for it has been a year of good times. Most of the boys were not aware of what was doing, and were very much surprised when they came into their usual meeting place to find the tables arranged in a quadrangle and loaded with eats. They were not slow in finding their places, which were indicated by their membership cards for POLITICAL OUTLOG next year, in lieu of place cards. After a brief prayer by Dr. Barnett, the chap-lain of the troop, the boys fell to and soon the tables were cleared, but not be-fore every boy was filled up.

Then followed a program, consisting of toasts by a number of the boys on "What

Being a Scout Has Meant to Me." Mc Knight, Barclay and Smith responded. and one would have thought they were veterans in the art of after-dfnner speak ing to have heard them. These set the pace and others followed in impromptu speeches. The patrol leaders were then These were followed with a talk by 2d A. S. M. Baxter, while 1st A. for 1916-17.

and Clifton More. Books on scouting and whether he would see Roosevelt during first aid were presented to these. First- his stay. Hughes' secretary said that class badges were then awarded to Smith, no appointments had been made for a 1912. Mr. Magnus is a graduate of Nor Watt, McKnight and Snyder, the four conference with the party leaders for who had successfully passed their examinations, and the second-class badge was given to Densmore, who, after just one month of scouting, had passed his tests with credit.

The first organized political move furthering the Hughes campaign was an nounced to-day by Public Service Commissioner Travis H. Whitney, who told of town to attend the wedding were Mr.

lst A. S. M., D. Winnifred Smith; 2d A. S. woters who came into existence during M., Arthur N. H. Baxter; chaplain, Dr. Barnett; senior P. L., Earl F. Lane; junnor of New York in 1908. It was said ior, P. L., John C. Watt and John B. cartridges, 200 boxes of hand grenades, 1,00 usable rifles, four machine guns, 2 range finders, and a Norten portable pump for the extraction of drinking water.

Ior, P. L., John C. Watt and John B. Shepard; Asst. P. L., J. Wendell Smith; Hughes Alliance have decided to get together to work in New York state for the extraction of drinking water.

MORTIMER—ROGERS.

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mith offered two other prizes. the people I came to a titude clear."

se, and after some hearty "sis boom between the representatives of the rail- and more than 106,000 soldiers, and 124 ba's" the boys went home, determined to guns, 180 machine guns, and 58 bomb keep troop 2 of Barre the best troop of W. Wickersham, former attorney general, boy scouts in America.

MANY FROM DISTANCE

Attended Funeral of O. N. Canton, Held This Morning.

The funeral of O. N. Canton, a prominent Barre granite manufacturer, whose "Our forces operating in the region of death at his home, 25 Maple avenue, Dubno (one of the fortresses comprising Thursday evening followed a long illness, was held in St. Monica's church this morning at 9 o'clock, Rev. Father Moore of Worcester, Mass., officiating. The bearers were: James T. Marrion Loranger, E. J. Owens and J. A. Healy, There were many floral tributes, including a number of set pieces from organizations with which the deceased was affiliated. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery on Beckley street.

Among those from out of town who omene Canton, the aged mother of the Canton of Montreal, P. Q., Dennis Cantogether with the explosion of mines, Mahoney and Mrs. Frank Hyde of Saton of Northampton, Mass., Mrs. Anna lem, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Hurley and children of Oneids, N. Y., Joseph liam Kingston, Samuel Kingston and George Kingston of Northfield, Mrs. Anne Kemp of Northfield, Mr. and Mrs. William Carney of Montpelier and Mrs. C. D. Wheelock of Montpelier.

There were many floral tributes, as follows: 47 roses, family; anchor, the traction company's carbarns last cese have been issued by Secretary Wal-brothers; cross, employes of Canton evening, pleaded guilty in Montpelier city ter C. Bernard of Newport, the gathering Bros.; pillow: Barre Granite and Quarry ompany: American Beauties, Boutwell Milne & Varnum: roses, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Burke, Mrs. F. H. Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bird, Ed. McNulty, Harry Kelly, J Alfred Healy, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Riley and Mrs. F. A. Church, Mr. and Mrs. D. last evening, it having been reported that o'clock, the celebration of the Holy Com-M. Hurley, Mrs. Anna Mahoney, Mrs. a team had fallen over the bank near the munion. Bishop A. C. A. Hall, who will ir., Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Stevens, Mr. Frank Hyde, Mrs. Ellen Canton; carnations, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gauthier, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Loranger, Mr. and o'clock, and Wright and Ogg were found will include the election of officers of Mrs. J. Kovalsky, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. to be as helpless as the two horses, held the diocese, the reading of the reports Perry, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wheelock, Miss Beatrice Callaghan, Mr. and Mrs. George Rand, Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. James Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. John Cleary, Mr. and Mrs. James Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. Louis De-Blois, Mr. and Mrs. William Emslie: carnations and roses, Mr. and Mrs. Meyer Levin; cross of pansics, Mrs. J. Bernard; wreath; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Charbonneau and family; pansies, Mr. and Mrs.

SUICIDE BY STRYCHNINE.

Convulsions.

at Malletts bay by taking strychnine, ers have been referred to an arbitration Barre yards of the Central Vermont to the present time. Whether the bur-He told members of the family that he committee and the paving cutters are at R. R. ran off the track Saturday fore- glars came by automobile or not is not had taken the poison, which was in an work again, pending the adjustment, noon about opposite the Marr & Gordon known because the rain which fell afterounce bottle, and was used to put on Two weeks ago the cutters refused to stonesheds on one of the side tracks, leav- ward would have obliterated all marks When They Attempted to Advance Northwest of Bucracz.

Region via London, June 12.—Russian Convulsions, and Dr. N. H. Kenyon was of their number went to the paving stone. Some line of the vehicle, as well as tending to dead-tone to the employers a week previous. Some line. On telephoning to Montpeller June on the sound of the explosion. It is said convulsions, and Dr. N. H. Kenyon was of their number went to the paving stone tion to get another shifter, engine 203, also that no persons to whom suspicion called. He died at 7 o'clock. It is said fields of New Hampshire, but a majori- to come and help them out of their diffi- might be attached have been seen about that he had been despondent and had ty of them have returned to Barre, it culty, it was learned that the Junction Williamstown lately. threatened previously to take his life. is said.

He leaves a wife, four step-children, one Sec. Fred W. Suitor of the Quarrywork-just previously jumped the track down nation to Inspector F. J. Buckley of the daughter, one brother, Henry McIntyre, ers Intermitional association and Asses: there. So they blocked the main line postoffice department, who is located at and three sisters. Mrs. Arthur Newton, sor O. J. L. Matthews of this city have until passenger engine number 33, under Borlington, and will also notify the chief

cometery.

HUGHES GETS RIGHT TO WORK

The Republican Candidate Reached New York Early This Morning

POLITICAL OUTLOOK

There Is a Rumor That He Will See Theodore Roosevelt

conference. He left Washington after midnight, so early that many newspaper catered. Later in the morning Mr. and men, who planned to accompany him, Mrs. Magnus left by motor for Bethel, S. M. Smith read some accounts of previous meets during the year. Scoutmaster Hubbard then presented some awards questions before Hughes and his friends and insignia and made the appointments to-day was the location of his summer headquarters.

who sought to question him regarding

The officers for the coming year are as about the revival of the Hughes Alliance follows: Scoutmaster, John T. Hubbard; composed of Democratic and independent seph Smith of Waterbury

After these appointments had been later at his hotel and said, replying to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Rogers of upper made, Dr. Barnett was called on, and a question how it felt to be drafted for Prospect street, and Charles H. Mortimer the partially open door so that there was gave a talk to the boys about the work the biggest job in the world: "I can of Montpelier were married at the home hey had done, and urged them all to only say that there are certain circum- of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. greater efforts for the future. He then stances under which the matter of duty C. H. Simonds of 6 Beckley court, Saturoffered a prize to the patrol making the is supremely clear and leaves no ground day evening at 8 o'clock. best record during the vacation period; for hesitancy. There was no question Lipsky, proprietor of the Hedding Meth- combined aid of four men. So it is as-"During yesterday's fighting, we took best record during the vacation period; for hesitancy. There was no question Lipsky, proprietor of the Hedding Methas prisoners I gleneral, 400 officers and all the patrols are determined to win in this situation as to what I should edist church, officiated and the ceremony

sive support for the Republican candi-

DEMOCRATS HAVE

FIVE CONTESTS ON National Committee Gathers at St. Louis to Pass Upon Them and to Make

Final Convention Arrangements. St. Louis, June 12 .- Preliminary to the vention, members of the national comhas before it five seat contests.

convention.

BLOCKED RAILROAD TRACK.

Two Men Drove Two-Horse Team Over Bank Last Evening.

Wayne Wright and James Ogg of Williamstown, whose two-horse team met with a mishap on the Barre road near rather than serve the alternative sen- and from forty to sixty lay delegates. tence in jail. Chief of Police Connolly The convention will meet for organiand Officer Frank Baldwin were called to zation Wednesday forenoon at 9 o'clock The branch train was forced to stop on a charge. taken to the jail in a jitney.

guilty to a second offense of intoxication, to four delegates from the clergy and having been arrested Saturday night, and four laymen. hoped to pay a fine of \$15 and costs of The evening session of Wednesday will Postmaster Wilber arrived at 6 o'clock,

a bicycle from Merl Wheeler, was given conditions.

AT WORK PENDING SETTLEMENT. George McIntyre of Colchester Died in Barre Paving Cutters and Employers Resort to Arbitration.

Colchester, June 12. George McIntyre Differences between the paving cutmmitted suicide Saturday at his home ters on Millatone hill and the employ-

the question of principle.

MAGNUS-NICHOLS.

Pretty Wedding at St. Monica's Church

A pretty June wedding was celebrated at St. Monica's church this morning at 8 o'clock when Miss Susan Loretta Nichols, daughter of Mrs. M. B. Nichols of 9 Richardson street, was married to Eu-gene W. Magnus of Waterbury, the par-ish priest, Rev. Fr. P. M. McKenna, performing the ceremony in the presence of a large gathering of friends, the double ring service being used. The bride was attended by Miss Madeline Williams, and Joseph Smith of Waterbury acted as groomsman. During the nuptial mass Mrs. John Hartigan sang and the wedding march was played by Miss Ruth Nelson. Bride and groom, with their attendants, approached the altar from different aisles, in conformance to an old

The bride was gowned in gray pussy willow taffeta trimmed with gray chiffon and rose silk. She wore a picture hat and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Her bridesmaid wore peach colored crepe meteor trimmed with pink chiffon. Sh carried pink roses. After the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's mother, where the New York, June 12-Charles E. Hughes dining room was attractively decorated ame here to day for his first campaign to carry out a color scheme of pink and white. Misses Gertrude Geake and Mary McCarthy served and Mrs. C. N. Benedic Conn., where they are to pass their hor eymoon. They will be at home in Wat-

erbury after July 1. Mr. and Mrs. Magnus were the recipients of many wedding gifts. The bride The awards were as follows: Honors for excellence in scout work, J. Wendell Smith, John Shepard, J. Cedric Snyder who sought to question him regarding the secretary of the Granite Manufac turers' association. She was graduated from Goddard seminary in the class of

and Mrs. Scanlon and Mr. and Mrs. Jo-

that prize. In case of a tie, 1st A. S. M. do. I did it and in my announcement to smith offered two other prizes.

About 11 colors the affair.

The breek was discovered by Posterior of two men.

The bride was attended by Miss Edith as mediator in plans to obtain Progress carnations. The parlor, where the cerethe White mountains,

McCREADY-McKANE. Barre Man and Websterville Woman United in Marrige.

Miss Florence McKane, daughter of

EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.

Will Be Held in Montpelier On June 21 and 22. Programs for the 126th annual con-

vention of the Vermont Episcopal dioevening, pleaded guilty in Montpelier city ter C. Bernard of Newport, the gathering court this forenoon to first offenses of to be held in Christ church, Montpelier, intoxication and each expressed a desire June 21 and 22. There are 37 clergy to pay a fine of \$5 and costs of \$6.75 men eligible to seats in the convention

the scene of the accident about 8 o'clock and the opening services will be at 9:30 tracks of the Central Vermont railroad, preside over the convention, will deliver its trip to Montpelier shortly after 8 The business meeting will follow and

down by the tangled harness. They were of the officers and the election of delegates to the convention to be held at St. James Cronin of Barre Town pleaded Louis in July. The diocese is entitled

Cecil Pierce, the high school student the missionary work of the diocese and several persons residing in the immediate who pleaded guilty last week to stealing the public is especially invited to hear the following speakers: Bishop Conda sentence of three months in jail and jutor George Y. Bliss of Burlington; Rev. having heard a noise between 2 and 3 was placed on probation under the usual A. C. Wilson of Bellows Falls; Rev. G. W. Davenport of Burlington; Rev. R. enough to awaken them and yet not loud W. Magoun of Fair Haven.

members will be held in the parish house from 8:30 until 10 o'clock, to which all are invited.

Leon Abbott went yesterday to Boston, where he will spend a part of the Miss Etta Burley went yesterday to BosMiss Etta Burley went yesterday to BosWeek at the commencement and alumni be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock affect principles and that the arbitrators no serious damage done to the engine, tifying Deputy Sheriff Leon McAllister Albany, where she will spend a few days exercises of the Massachusetts Institute at the house, with burial in Lake View will be asked to base their verdict on and it was put into activity after about three hours.

BLEW SAFE BUT COU'D NOT JB IT

Yeggmen siled at Williamstr & When Heavy Safe Tipped Forward on Its Face and Left Aperture Just Large Enough for Partial Insertion of an Arm

CONTENTS INTACT; \$3 IN CASH TILL STOLEN

Several Nearby Dwellers Recall Hearing an Unusual Sound Between 2 and 3 O'clock This Morning -Burglars Knocked Off the Safe Door Handle and Inserted Explosive in the Hole

An unsuccessful attempt was made to rob the Williamstown postoffice early this morning, the burglars getting nothing for their efforts except three dollars of Postmaster George E. Wilber's private account, which was left in the open cash drawer. That the booty was not larger was due to the fact that the safe, on being blown, tipped onto its face against a little way, and the safe could not be lifted back to its position without the sumed that the robber gang was com-

The break was discovered by Postmas-Hughes spent the forenoon receiving Dule of Montpelier and E. M. Simonds, ter Wilber when he opened the postoffice callers. Shortly before 11 o'clock George an uncle of the bride, was the best man. in the south side of the Beckett block at W. Wickersham, former attorney general, The bride was becomingly gowned in 6 o'clock this morning, the room being conferred with the candidate but declined white silk voils and carried a bouquet of filled with a fine dust which came from to state the object of his visit or to white roses and carnations. The brides- the inner lining of the safe, and the safe, discuss the rumors that he was acting maid wore old rose silk and carried white located in the back of the main room, becarnations. The parlor, where the cere-mony took place, was prettily decorated had been done to the interior of the with white and purple lilacs and roses, building. The chief damage to the build-The single ring service was used and ing was done to a door leading from the after the ceremony the couple left by main room to the rear and located income automobile on a honeymoon trip through at one side of the safe. It is supposed that the explosive blew the safe back with such force as to smash this door and then the safe door rebounded partially shut as the safe pitched forward. Some glass in a cupboard was also smashed as the safe fell forward and struck against the cupboard, which then partially held up the safe.

Postmaster Wilber promptly called as opening of the Democratic national con- Mr. and Mrs. William McKane of Web- sistance and two men tried to lift the sterville, and William McCready of this safe in vain. Then he called two more mittee were here to-day to pass upon the city were united in marriage at 9 o'clock men, and by considerable straining, final arrangements. The committee also last Thursday morning at St, Sylvester's Messrs. Wilber, Leon McAllister, C. E. rectory in Graniteville, Fr. Turcot per- Ingalls and Dean Griffiths were able to Among those from out of town who attended the obsequies were: Mrs. Philbe held Wednesday. The platform will tended by George McKane, a brother of ter Wilber's inventory of the contests be adopted Friday morning and the tick- the bride, and Miss Lena Dubie. The failed to reveal that unything had been deceased, his brother, A. Canton, and his et named Friday evening. Early trains bride was gowned in blue messaline and taken. There was between \$300 and \$400 brother in law, M. Robarge, of St. Jean to-day brought scores of delegates and wore a picture hat to match. After the in the safe, the amount consisting of Chrysostome, P. Q., Mr. and Mrs. N. visitors and there is every indication ceremony, a wedding breakfast was blank money order books, postal funds, there will be a large attendance at the served at the bride's home. Mr. and money order funds and stampe. Not be-Mrs.McCready expect to reside in Web- ing able to reach in far enough to get hold of this and not being able to raise the safe, the burglars were forced to be content with the three dollars which they found in the open eash drawer. Thus the force which they had expected to bring them money was also the means of thwarting them when success seemed at hand; the safe, though open, could not

How the Safe Was Blown.

The safe itself was ruined. There are no drill holes in the door; but the handle which worked the tumblers had been broken off, probably with a sledge hammer or other heavy instrument, and the explosive was placed in the hole thus produced. The force of the explosive did not blow the door off but swung it violently open and then back again, besides ripping the interior to some extent. The dust from the cement filling was still flying when the postmaster entered the building. The safe was one secured from the Trow & Holden plant in Barre and was not considered burglar-proof by

any means. The burglars probably got into the postoffice by means of a rear window. There were no immy marks about the front door, and the door was locked when be devoted chiefly to the consideration of As the news of the break became known, vicinity, which is in the center of the village and next to the botel, remembered o'clock this morning a noise loud Tuesday evening preceding the convention an informal reception for the lives in a house at the rear of the Uniserious trouble. Glenn McAllister, who versalist church, Bert Robinson's people just across the road and others in hotel are among those who recall the

Engine number 322, shifter in the There are no clues to the burglars up

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